



NC Pre-Kindergarten Rules

November 2012

New Child Care Center rules became effective November 1, 2012 when a new Section was added to the child care requirements - **Section .3000 NC Pre-Kindergarten Services.**

The effective rules* in this Section are as follows:

- .3001 Scope
- .3002 Facility Requirements,
- .3003 Program Attendance Policy
- .3005 Child Health Assessments
- .3006 Developmental Screening
- .3009 Staff-to-Child Ratio and Class Size
- .3010 Family Engagement
- .3011 NC Pre-K Teacher Education, Licensure and Credentials
- .3013 NC Pre-K Teacher Assistant Education and Credentials
- .3014 NC Pre-K Substitute Staff
- .3015 Instructional Staff Standards
- .3016 Professional Development Requirements

*Note that the Rules Review Commission objected to several rules in this Section:

- .3004 Religious Activities
- .3007 Early Learning Standards and Curricula
- .3008 Formative Assessments

On Nov 7, the Child Care Commission discussed and responded to the objections of the Rules Review Commission (RRC). The revised rules will go back to the Rules Review Commission on November 15. These will be posted when they become effective.